

STANDARD PROCUREMENT SYSTEM- Contingency

(SPS-C)

INFORMATION BRIEF

STANDARD PROCUREMENT SYSTEM (SPS) BACKGROUND

- Joint Program - Commercial Acquisition Strategy - awarded to AMS (now CACI) in 1996
- Automated contracting system - standardizes procurement processes across DoD and replaces dozens of legacy systems
- Cornerstone of DoD's End-2-End acquisition process
- First and only Department-wide standard business system in DoD
- Meeting all cost, schedule and performance requirements
- Used in contingency operations worldwide
- Major role in DoD modernization programs
- Developing web-based solution
- Award Winner
 - Grace Hopper Award - December 2003
 - 2003 Fed 100
 - International Communicator Award 2003
 - 2004 Excellence.Gov Award Finalist

SPS CURRENT STATUS

- 23,000 users, 777 sites, 681,000 buys totaling \$59B in FY04
- Interfaces with 32 systems across DoD
- Increases electronic access to Government
- Used in all 50 states, 15 countries
 - Iraq, Afghanistan, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, and more
- Increment 3 under development
 - Deliver web-based system in Feb 2006
 - Meets all original SPS requirements
 - BEA-Compliant System
- USD (AT&L) Mr. Wynne memo of Nov 26, 2003
 - SPS is the cornerstone of Acquisition Domain
 - Supports v4.2 including Increment 3 through at least 2010
 - Directed Components to deploy SPS

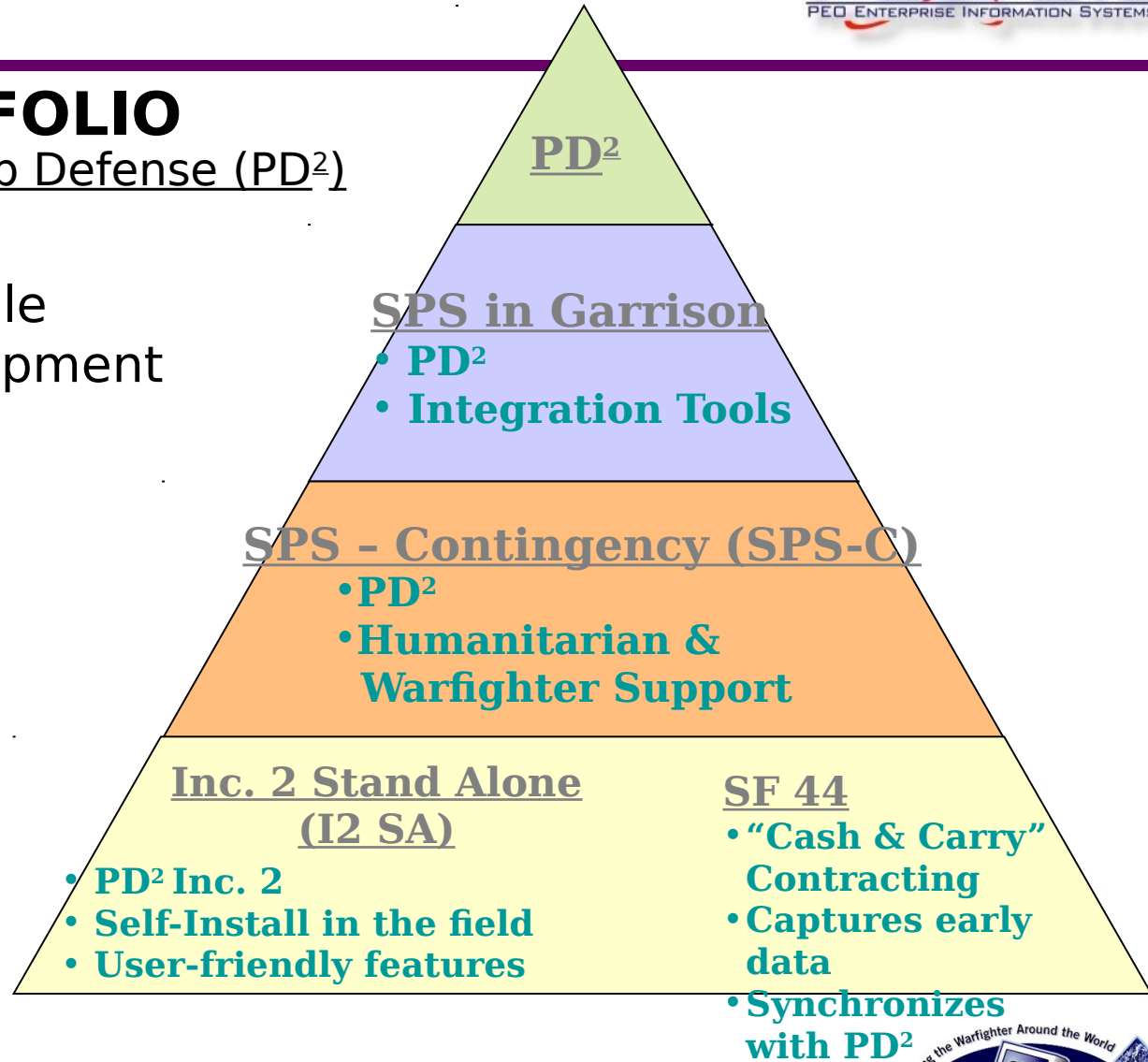
STANDARD PROCUREMENT SYSTEM -CONTINGENCY (SPS-C) EVOLUTION

- **SF 44** will be first contracting instrument in theater.
- **SF 44** will likely be used concurrently with other instruments for the contingency duration.
- **SPS-C v4.2. Increment 2** will be the primary contracting instrument wherever connectivity and bandwidth are unavailable.
- **SPS-C v4.2 Increment 3** will be used at field contracting office and Chief of Contracting levels whenever connectivity and bandwidth are sufficient and stable.

THE SPS-C PORTFOLIO

Procurement Desktop Defense (PD²)

- v4.2 Inc. 1 deployed
- v4.2 Inc. 2 deployable
- v4.2 Inc. 3 in development



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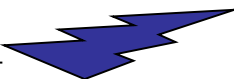
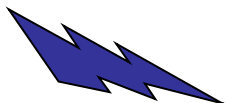
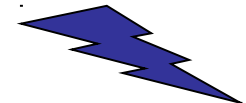
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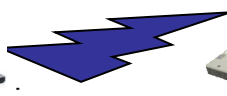
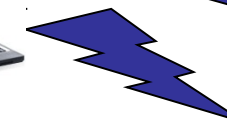
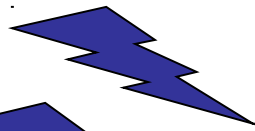
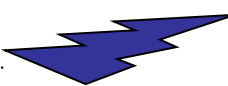
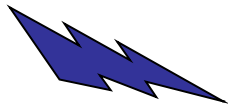
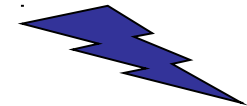
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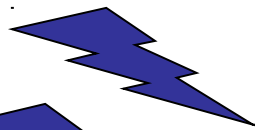
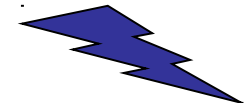
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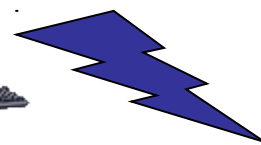
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4. CONTRACTING COMMAND

IN-THEATER OR HOME STATION
PD²
ASSET VISIBILITY
REPORTS GENERATION



Electronic SF-44 Pilot Test

VICTORY CONTRACTING OFFICE, VIC BIAP, IRAQ:

- 20 FEB thru 10 MAR 06
- 10 Sets of equipment to diverse group of users
- Field tested in controlled environment
- Evaluated Handheld Automated SF-44 and Master Station
- Some sets still in use, Contracting Officer still submitting data

Electronic SF-44 Pilot Test Results

FIELD ORDERING OFFICERS:

- Easy to train...everything they needed in less than one hour
- Number of test transactions: 36 (mock and live)
- Data Validity: 100%
- User Evaluation: Survey results said the application was easy to learn and use, will definitely help them in their role as FOOs and Purchasing Agents, and is “almost” ready for the field
- 10th MTN wants both teams equipped!

Electronic SF-44 Pilot Test Outbrief

MASTER STATION ADMINISTRATORS:

- The electronic SF 44 easily captures the items being purchased, therefore it makes the monitoring process easier.
- The electronic SF 44 will streamline the process of in the field purchasing.
- Because of the ability to compile data the SF 44 will reduce the amount of time that the FOOs are away from their unit therefore minimizing the time in the field and away from their mission.
- Once the process is fully implemented the clearing process will become less stressful on all the parties involved (It will be a One Stop Shop)
- This program will have future impact in the way that contingency contracting operations will be done.
- Minimizes the paperwork trail therefore moving one step closer to the eventual possibility of paperless contracting.

Electronic SF-44 Pilot Test Outbrief

- **Users found the PDA to be efficient**
 - **Transactions were faster with pre-loaded information and drop-down screens**
 - **No paper needed for retail transactions, until clearing**
- **Synchronization was a snap**
 - **FOOs could download data to Master Station with no hassles**
 - **Efficiently uploaded new vendor and supply information**
- **Database was easy to access and run reports**
 - **CO with FOO oversight was able to easily access and design reports with Excel**

Electronic SF-44 Pilot Test Outbrief

- Did not build in a “cash discount” as offered by AAFES, users had to manually over-ride
 - Solution: Add “flat per cent” or “dollar value” discount feature
- PIIN range too restrictive for local SOP
 - Solution: Revise PIIN range to allow 20 digits, no format
- Did not allow for 65-digit Fund Cite, users can manually cut and paste from Pocket Word note book
 - Solution: Will allow users to pre-load fund cite and total dollars available

Electronic SF-44 Pilot Test Outbrief

Conclusion:

- Field test proved the principle that an automated tool can work in the contingency environment
- Application is simple and intuitive, minimum training required for FOOS
- Master Station Administrator will require training
- Automating this process will make it inherently more efficient, exponentially increasing our ability to manage the data
- User application (PDA) will be a great asset with some minor enhancements

Electronic SF-44 Pilot Test Outbrief

- Continue Victory Contracting Office Test through 10 MAR
- Conduct Similar Pilot Fielding at JCC-HOA with 10 units
- Follow-on at JCC-HOA with 100% IOT & E (50 units) after enhancements are applied, 21 APR 05
- Integrate DFAS Deployable Disbursement System
- Fully field to JCC-I/A
- Complete integrations to SPS-C

SPS-C THREE PHASE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Phase I Solutions **Key: ✓ denotes under contract**

- ✓SF 44 Palmtop (SensCom)
- ✓BRCCS Self-Installation or Upgrade (CACI)
- ✓BRCCS SF 44 Financial community enhancements

Phase II Solutions (CAPI approval pending Phase I results):

- User-friendly System Administration/System Administration Toolbar
- Initial Contract Transfer Capability (Batch Transfer of award data)

Phase III Solutions

- Comprehensive Data Transfer: additional PD2 documents
- Reference Data
- Improved level of automation

Potential Technology Integration

- In-the-field update of deployed versions

- Phases II & III require funding
- Can be completed rapidly

